ASSESSMENT WEBSITE INFORMATION

College: Nursing and Health Professions Degree Program: Social Work BSW

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DATA SAY:

Most recent data show that on average, students rate their satisfaction levels with BSW courses at 4.1 on a scale of 5. Satisfaction with teaching is also high, with students rating their BSW instructors at 4.2 on a scale of 5. In addition, field instructors rate the performance of students in internships highly, rating students on average 4.7 (between very good and excellent on a five point scale) on the performance measures. Finally, qualitative comments from our survey of employers who have hired graduates include:

- "ASU continues to provide the community with outstanding social workers."
- "In addition to the ASU graduates employed, the students who complete internships have been of the highest quality."
- "They (ASU social work students and graduates) have been a great asset to the program and in serving our families."

SO WHAT:

These findings suggest that students are satisfied with the quality of courses and instruction within the BSW Program. In addition, field instructors are pleased with the performance of students and the perception of graduates by area employers is extremely positive.

HOW WE CHANGED:

In recent years, faculty have worked to raise admission standards and improve procedures associated with the admissions process.

WHAT WE GOT:

As a result, students admitted to the program are more academically prepared for the rigor of the program and are more likely to complete required courses and internships successfully.



